# THE COMET.

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We are authorized and requested to announ Mr. W. H. HICKS as a cambidate for Sheriff of Sullivan County. Election August next, We are authorousd and requested to announce Mr. HENRY A. HALE as a candidate for Sheriff of Washington County. Election August next.

We are authorized and requested to announce the name of AZARIAH PEOPLES as a candidate for Trustee of Washington county.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE R. DUNCAN as a candidate to represent Washington County in the next General Assembly of the

Wheat looks fine.

Webster Wagons. HUNT & LIDE. Shoo fly dont bodder me.

Pettibone is on the war path in the first district. Let her rip.

Lowest price for Brass Kettles all HUNT & LIDE.

Candidates are blossoming-many of them for the political grave.

The South Carolina out-law: Cash passed in his checks a few days ago. Grass blades at HUNT & LIDE'S The chimney sweeps and candidates have made their appearance.

Corn is peeping up through the clods.

The Variety plow at HUNT & LIDE'S.

Honey bees are hanging on fresh blown blossoms Our friend Eugene Horton of New the Holston Methodist.

York is in Johnson City. Brass Kettles! Brass Kettles!! at the hardware and grocery house of

HUNT & LIDE. The lamb skippeth in the meadow, the defaulter skipeth to Mexico.

This is the time when downy lipped boys are whispering love to laughing girls.

See our fifty cent syrup-it's the delight of the children who are tired of meat. HUNT & LIDE.

ville's rising young lawyers was in Blessed is he who pays for his paper. town Thursday.

"The world is full of beauty when the heart is full of love." It's dog goned ugly to a defeated candidate. John Allison, of Jonesboro, took

pleasure trip on the Cincinnati South-

The three for a dollar hoe is the best on the market, try them. HUST & LIDE.

The Democrats of Washington

W. W. Faw and his sister Miss Hattie, will be home from school in a few

The New Tannery in this city has employs 500 hands at good wages.

Be sure you get pure Lead and Oils if you want your paint to last, and you can find these goods only at HENT & LIDE'S.

T. E. R. Hunter of Watanga Tenn, went up to the commencement of the Baptist Institute at Bristel this week.

Col. N. M. Taylor, of Bristol, darkened our door and engaged us in sweet converse for half an hour last Tues-

Geo. D. Taylor and C. C. Taylor are in attendance on the Farmers convention in Knexville this week.

Buy pure Linseed and machine oil. desertion land HUNT & LIDE.

mossy bank of the mill pond, Jug o' odist. rum. The drunkard aireth himself in the gutter, jim jam.

HUNT & LIDE. Miss Mollie O. Love brightened our streets with her charming presence, on Wednesday last, she was on her way to Summer in the old North State.

Sam W. Simerly Jr., owns the boss team in the 9th District. Four young exen well broke and a wooden wagon is the outfit, and Sam handles them

Fine stock of Pocket and Table Cut HUNT & LIDE.

Col Sh. beg pardon-plain John Slack of the Bristol Courier was one of the visiting Minesters at the District Conference.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Geo. W. Hickey, the wife of our postmaster. We hope Mrs Hickev will soon regain her good health.

buy a small lot of good iron and some at Batler Johnson Co. carpenters and blacksmith tools?" phins? Brims & Tract

Mrs. A. O'Brien and Miss Carrie

any one wishes to marry. get that good coffee?" "Why, at mountain trout fast Saturday. Such

North Carolina the other day, his busi-

R. B. Daniels has planted three acres in Water melons, on the banks of the beautiful Watauga, in Carter

and syrup in the city."

and only cost 45 cents a foot."

are no finer workmen anywhere than its flag bearers. this pushing, enterprising and exceedingly popular duet.

The Holston Methodist has a Price upon its head. A good Price-Prof. R. N. Price. The price of it for one year is only \$2.00 in advance, and is cheap as dirt at that price to those who love Methodism. Subscribe for

"I say carpenter Jones, where do sich like?" "Why, I go to Hunt & pie or a slice of cake, a glass of lemonsell the Old Dominion nails and I a pound cake or a fruit cake, a jelly Lide for all my tools, nails &c., they ways supply you.'

with the warmest emotions of grati-ply you with bread, cake, pies and all York. Mrs. H. would have us believe AT KNOXVILLE with Ohio Division and Knox ville and Augusta Railroad. tude and pleasure by those whom they sorts of tooth sweeteness. have contributed to make happy if they will Comer us with that dollar Mr. H. M. Leinhart, one of Knox- and a quarter. Dont all speak at once.

The small boy gamboleth in the citizens of Johnson City and vicinity starwberries, sir, five inches in cirbrook. The card player gambleeth up at Science Hill acadamy on wednes- cumferance, sir. Yes sir, lots of 'em We must educate, we must educate, of organizing a plan for the establish- A card perched on top of the berries. or perish at the hands of ignorance ment of a first class school in Johnson | sir, and on it was written sir, "M. T. Buy your hardware at a hardware of Education! Come one come old! ry that night—the supper bell, sir,— The ladies are especially invited.

> Mrs. Chas. K. Lide, Miss Odom and Mary Lide departed for Carolina on Tuesday evening last, to be gone all summer. Chas, is looking very much like the last rose of summer. Heard him say vesterday he would give five up, Chas, you may listen to "ourn" for

Look not upon the cucumber when County meet in convention to-day at it is green. When it giveth its color in the dish. For at last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder. Who hath woe, who hath sorrow, who hath the cholora morbus? They that tarry long at the cucumber, they that seek cucumbers and onions mixed. fifteen thousand hides in its vate and Jonesboro papers please copy for benefit of John Allison Jr.

and cheerful. They are making up an attractive programme for commencement, which includes a baccalaureate sermon by Rev. J. S. Ken-

Sullins College commencement promises to be of unusual interest this year. The college has been full during the year and the work well commencement work includes ser-The bull frog aireth himself on the by Rev. G. C. Rankin .- Holston Meth- Friday morning, and Dr. Wiley fol-

We are glad to see such men as Mr. H. B. Clark buying property and tearn he intends to build three or four M. E. Church and Rev. Simpson at residence, runs down to one side more houses at once. No man among the Baptist Church. All the church- the pond, making it a most delightful us, has paid out more money than Mr. C. to our people, a practical Lumber Johnson City and vicinity are church There is hardly a farmer in the count and paid out thousand's of Dollars here. holding the church and its ministers. Johnson city has no more public spirited citizen nor cultured gentleman than Harry B. Clark.

Married-At the residence of the Brides Father in Greens Co. E. Tonn. May 21st 1884 by the Rev. Mr. Neal.

Miss S. F. Rosenblatt. Attendants Mr. Clarence Boggs and

Miss Nellie C. Rosenblatt. J. H. Smith and miss Kate F. Ros-

Mr. Boggs and Miss Nellie Rosenblatt and every body will save money by miles a day, delivering a lecture every also by Mr. J. H. Smith went up the waiting until I call before they expended in the route on "George where is a good place to Morning's train to Mr. Curtis's home N. C. and will do all I can to accom-

"Why at the Hardware store of course." "Well, whose Hardware ways show Cartis-ey loving husband a card at Okolona, Carter co. and you'll be happy.

Two hundred and fifty dollars have We mean business. Uncle Jack Crumley went over to

Mr. James Hickey, Agent and operand gladdened our heart and rejoiced "Well, Mrs. Brown, where did you our stomach with three large speckled the best stock of coffee, sugar and tea hope his life may belike a clear stream may get the girl he wants.

County, "Watermelon friends" will most pleasant affairs of the season, all passed away, Cargill can photograph swarm around the venerable Riley this There were perhaps five hundred people on the ground. Uncle Abe Hart and Uncle Wm. Blossom Mottern, "Jack is that ar a good saw of were the flag bearers. It is said the yourn?" "You bet! it's one of Hunt & dinner was the climax of good din-Lide's 7 foot cross cuts, and oh, but it's ners, our regret is that we didn't get a hummer in cherry, oak or poplar, to help eat it. Turkey Town is one of the best neighborhoods in Carter Messrs Berry & Hodges, builders, county or any other county and its have completed a splendid job of citizens cannot be excelled for hospi- carbuncle on the back of his neck. work on the new Jobe block. There tality. Long live Turkey Town and

If you want a set of springs, a mat-Embreeville. ress or pillow, you can save money by Mrs. Sue Patterson, the friend of our calling an McNeil & Wolf, where you to hear of the death of Mrs. Jennie youth and our friend yet, blessed the will find a full line af all kinds and Moore, which occurred Saturday, the elder Editor of THE COMET with a bas- grades of Furniture. If you want 17th inst., at her residence in Dalton, ket of strawberries as large as hen eggs something fike you can get it, if you Ga. Mrs. Moore will be remembered as last Thursday. We cannot express want plain, cheap and substantial the cultivated and accomplished our feelings we are too full for utter- work, here is the place to buy. Please daughter of Hon. S. J. W. Lucky, note a few prices: Bedsteads, \$1,50; of this place. She died of peronititis, Safes, \$3,00; Bureau, \$8,00; Chairs, after a few days illness. \$2,75 per set; Mattresses, full width, \$3,00; Springs, \$2,00, that cost you \$5,00 elsewhere; Pillows, \$1,25 per elks, attached to a buggy, drew quite a

Dr. Worley has quit the drug business, and is now feeding the hungry. Who ever wants a sandwich or a wich ade, a loaf of bread; who ever wants would not use any other, they can al- cake or a lemon cake or any other kind of a cake, can have their wants satisfied at the City Bakery, on Our friends who have not paid up Church ctreet, west of the E. T. V. & makes butter equal in every respect to their subscription will be remembered G. R. R. The City Bakery will sup-

Last Tuesday evening a basket was handed to the cleverest woman in Johnson City, and what do you think was in that basket? Strawberries. There will be a mass meeting of the Not your common strawberries, but day evening May 28, for the purpose five inches, and long in proportion. city. This is vital to the prosperity of and W. C. Peoples to the Tayl o' THE the town. Rally round the banner COMET." There was a sound of revel- Courier. woman and a brave man, and them city. strawberries went merry as a marriage Mr. J. R. Anderson is attending Nos. 1 & 2 have Leighton Sieeper, between Mein noble farmers of the valley of the Buf- ville,

dollars to hear his baby cry. Come proprietor of one of the handsomest in Bristol. homes in Washington county. His place will soon rival Perez Dickinsons ta Knoxville. He is now teracing, making fountains, planting flowers, laying off walks and drives, and is preparing to put twelve acres out in a vinyard and orchard. When his day at high twelve, and when we took taken to Kingsport for interment. Martha Washington College is near our hats and bade them good afternoon News. ing the close of a very pleasant and we felt that their supply of strawberpleasure of looking in on them, this things to eat was considerably small in the country. The pond is fed by a

The Jonesboro District Conference met in Johnson City, May 17th, Rev. L. H. Carlock presiding. There was a large number of members present, and the business of the Conference judgement. Dr. Sullins, President of perch.—The carp now measure nearly Emory and Henry College, Dr. Wiley. lbs. Col. King was not aware, until and truly done. The programme for of Martha Washington, and Rev.'s Jas. Atkins, G. W. Simpson and D. S. Hearmons by Revs G. D. French and W. on were among the visitors. Rev. At-L. Richardson and a literary address kins preached a splendid sermon on spawn of this year. We discovere lowed in the evening with a very able grown from four to six inches i and practical sermon. Saturday, Dr. length. The Discovery was quite a Sullins and others addressed the peowill seen have it completed and we Church, South. Prof. R. N. Price at dealer himself, he has bought largely going people. They believe in up-

# Attention Parmers.

ington, Carter and Unicoi that I am place in the upper end of town. going to exchange factory goods and yarn for wool. I represent the Watan-Mr. F. P. Curtis of Butler Tenn. to ga Mills and will sell goods as cheap as they can be bought at that or any other factory. I will pay fifty ets, for nice clean wool and make no deduction. done for ten cents, cash on net yarn, will also sell goods and yarn change. I will also call on the peo-W. G. ANDERSON.

J. A. Cargille dealer in sunlight and EAST TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA & McAdoo of Knoxville are at the Hoss been already subsiribed toward trans- shadows, showed us some lovely pichouse. They will remain over Sunday, forming Science Hill Accadamy, and tures this week. One was the mug of and go on the excursion to Cranberry. the list has not been half way round. one of those pitiable creatures called In Effect December 30th, 1883. bachelors. The skillful Cargille so manipulated the sunbeams as to hide ness there, to buy lumber and see if ator, at Cranberry sweetened our tooth the wrinkles, fill up the hollow places and make this old "bach" look real sweet. Mr. Cargille is up with the times. People who want their pic-Hunt & Lide's of course! they have friends as Jim are worth having. We tures don't have to sit as in the past, with the head in a vice, the neck I of speckled trout, and that he stretched and twisted, with eyes fixed on the head of a mail for five minutes with positive orders not to but them The pic nic last week in Turkey no matter whither a fly was reveling Town, is said to have been one of the on the end of the nose or not. That is

## Jonesboro.

Miss Anna February is on a visit to relatives and friends near Johnson

Dr. Armstrong is suffering with a

Mrs. Florence Rice of Missouri, is at her father's, Mr. John L. Blair, near

Our readers will no doubt be pained

The driving of the double team of number of people to town last Saturday. the sight was a novel one, and one perhaps never before witnessed by any of the spectators. They will be on the streets again next Saturday. you buy your saws, files, hammers and without the sand; who ever wants a win or a slice of calco a class of lowers.

On the streets again next Saturday. La Knoxville Mr. Wheatly, the proprietor, and manufacturer of the bed spring advertised in another column reports the very best encouragement in his bus-

Mrs. N. Hacker, wife of the Judge the celebrated gilt edge butter of New that it is all in having Jersey cows, but in our opinion there is more in understanding the art of making, than in the cows. Good milk of course, is for Warm Springs, N. C., and all Western and Middle North Carolina points. necessary, but we have seen poor butter from the best of milk, while from an inferior quality of milk, in the At Johnson's with East Tennessee & Western North Carolina Railrood.

## Bristol.

Capt. J. I. R. Boyd, and Mr. C. P. and bright the lamp shone o'er a fair Toneray, of Elizabethton, are in the

bell. Many many thanks to the two the Temperance Convention at Nash

Mr. W. G. Mathes and Sandy Capt Shade Harris is owner and Stnart, of Washington co., Tenn., are

Hon. A. H. Pettibone, accompanied by Dr. J. P. Hammer, arrived in this place last night from Washington D. C. Mr. Pettibone will address his friends this evening.

Died, in this place, Monday mornwork is completed he will have the ing, Mr. S. A. Lynn, late of Kingsport, East Tennessee and Western North most beautiful and comfortable place aged about 45 years. Mr. Lynn moved in East Tenn. The publisher and to this place last Fall, from Kingsport, senior editor made merry with the and was taken down with consumption Captain and his good lady on Thurs- soon afterwards. His remains were

Col. Jno. G. King is the envied possuccessful year's work. We had the ries and ice cream and 40 other good sessor of, probably the finest fish pond week, and found everything bright ler than when we went there. Next. magnificent, bold spring, and covers nearly three acres. A day or two ago, in compony with several other gentlemen, I paid a visit there. A little over two years ago Col. King placed about 40 German carp in, and previous to was transacted with rapidity and good that time, quite a number of black Market Report, Corrected Weekly by

there were any small carp, except th hundreds of last year's spawn, nov agreeable surprise to the Col. I hav Come on! more of that beautiful building houses in our Midst. Mr. Golden G Sugar just received and for sale, 121 lbs to the dallar.

I. B. Clark buying property and ple on the spiritual state of the church, religious literature &c. On Sunday, fresh fish every morning for breakfast will seen have it completed and we no doubt but that, in an other year The beautiful grove that surrousds hi es were well attended. The people of place to stroll on a lovely afternoon raise plenty of fish, with very little trouble or expence, for home con sumption. Mr. J. W. Owens has very nice pond, I understand, and M I hereby notify th people of Wash- G. W. Kuhuert is making one on his

## From Bangor to the Golden Gate.

ELMIRA, May 20 .- Ralph Beaumont of Elmira, President of the Knights of Fare the best the market affords. I will have your carding and spining Labor, will make a tour of the continent on foot, from Maine to California. cheaper for each than you can buy He will start from Bangor on July 3,
The happy couple secompanied by any where. I am hired by the month and expects to make upward of twenty. He will start from Bangor on July 3, at Batler Johnson Co. modate them. When you here my min F. Butler to the support of inde-40 years of honcy-moon be theirs. trumpet look out for me and get your pendent voters as a Presidential can-

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